

Stopping XM from providing these services hurts the radio market. The original purpose of these rules was to allow local radio stations to remain just that, local with local content and talent. However in the past 5 years most of the local radio stations have been purchased by large companies and all the local flavor is gone. Please don't stop the Sat. radio companies from serving their customers. If you want to regulate this industry more, then reduce the number of radio stations a company can own. If one company can own 100's of radio stations across the country, how is a sat radio company broadcasting local content a problem.